

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Mini Hydel Schemes-Establishment of Mini Hydel Scheme on Nippula Vagu at Ch 5.652 Km (3X2400 KW) near Vempenta Village Velugodu Mandal Kurnool District by M/s Rank Power Pvt Ltd , Hyderabad – No Objection Certificate – Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & CAD (P.W: REFORMS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No: 101

Dated:24-09-2010.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.159, I&CAD Dept.(PW-Reforms) Dept.dt: 22-12-2009.
2. G.O.Ms.No.157, I&CAD Dept.(PW-Reforms) Dept.dt: 18-12-2009 .
AEE3/ MHS/ Dated: 03.08.2010.
3. G.O.Ms.No.160, I&CAD Dept.(PW-Reforms) Dept.dt:31-12-2009.
4. From the C.E (Projects), Kurnool, Lr.No.CE(P) /KNL/DEE.1/AEE3/
MHS/240, dt. 3-8-2010.

ORDER:-

A mini Hydel Scheme on Nippula Vagu at Ch 5.652 Km (3X240.00 km) near Vempenta Village Velugodu Mandal Kurnool District is proposed to be established by M/s Rank Power Pvt Ltd , Hyderabad

2. In G.Os 1st to 3rd read above, provisional “ NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE” was issued to M/s Rank Power (P) Ltd for establishment of three Mini Hydel power Projects of 2.40 MW capacity each on Nippulavagu at K, 4.925 Km ,5.725 km and 7.425 km respectively near Vempenta (V), Velugodu (M), Kurnool District.

3. The C.E (P), Kurnool, in the reference 4th read above ,has stated that on the request of developer, the VC & Managing Director, NEDCAP vide Lr.No.NEDCAP/MHS/RPL/N8/2010-11/45, dt:12.04.2010 has forwarded the revised DPR for establishing of single 3x2400 KW (7.2 MW) capacity MHS on Nipplavagu at ch .5.652(3x2400 KW) instead of the above mentioned three stations. The proposals were placed before the committee and the Committee examined the proposals on 22-05-2010 and on 15.07.2010 and the committee has discussed and agreed with the feasibility of MHS and recommended to issue the NOC subject to the following observations.

- i. Necessary flood banks shall be provided to the standards and designs approved by the Chief Engineer, CDO to protect adjoining lands including the drainage proposals, Inlet sluices at the cost of Developer including cost of LA An undertaking to this effect have to be obtained from the Developer.
- ii. The availability of water considered for the project is not the responsibility of the I&CAD Department and Developer has to plan for it as per data collected by him.
- iii. Design of diversion weir for the MFD for 390.90 cusecs (as per Improvements of Nippulavagu furnished by Chief Engineer (P), Kurnool reported) along with the scour sluices for allowing lean flows shall be approved by the Chief Engineer, CDO.
- iv. The Design of bypass arrangements are also to be approved by the Chief Engineer, CDO before the project authorities accord permission for grounding.
- v. The proposals of regrading of downstream of the MHS by the Developer shall be in tune with the proposed improvements to Nippulavagu taken up by the Irrigation Department.
- vi. The approach channel shall be designed and executed for the proposed discharge with a head sluice duly approved by Chief Engineer, CDO.

- vii. It is the responsibility of the Developer to pay compensation and obtain the consent of the land owners whose land is coming under acquisition well before commencement of work , so as to avoid legal complications .In case of Government land ,the lease agreement to be concluded with the department as a prerequisite.
- viii. The developer has no right to claim any compensation on account of any Restriction of supply to the plant.
- viii. The NOC recommended is subject to necessary Environmental and Forest clearances from the competent authority duly following the procedures in vogue .The clearances shall be obtained and submitted to the concerned Superintending Engineer, I&CAD Department for grounding the scheme well before commencement of the work .Also the MHS works need to be carried out under constant supervision of the I&CAD Department and with these clearances from time to time.
- x. The water used for Power generation comes under non consumptive use and it will not affect the upper and lower riparian rights.
- xi If the department envisage improvements / repairs to the system Developer is not entitled to claim any compensation for the closer of plant during the period.
- xii. Government is free to the cancel the NOC at any time without assigning any reasons which may lead closure of the unit and the developer has no right to claim any compensation

4. The C.E (P) Kurnool, has also stated that the Committee recommended to obtain the undertaking from the developer as suggested. Accordingly the undertaking is obtained from the developer. Further the C.E (P), Kurnool, has requested that the necessary NOC may kindly be issued for single MHS in place of 3 MHS and rescinding those G.Os and communicate the same at the earliest, keeping the above observations along with the conditions specified in G.O.Ms.No.165, dt:11.07.2007.

5. All the earlier “No Objection Certificates “ accorded for establishment of Mini Hydel Scheme on Nippulavagu by M/s Rank Power Pvt.,Ltd., in (i) G.O.Ms.No. 157, I & CAD (PW-Reforms) Dept. dt. 18-12-2009 (ii) G.O.Ms.No. 159 I & CAD (PW-Reforms) Dept. dt. 22-12-2009 and (iii) G.O.Ms.No. 160, I & CAD (PW-Reforms) Dept. dt. 31-12-2009 are hereby cancelled.

6. Government after careful examination of the proposal of Chief Engineer (P), Kurnool and recommendations of Standing Committee on Mini Hydel Schemes hereby accord “NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE “ for establishment of single Mini Hydel Scheme of 3x2400 KW on Nippulavagu at ch. 5.652 km ,Vempenta (V), Velugodu (M), Kurnool District by M/s Rank Power Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad, subject to conditions suggested by the Committee at para (3) above and also strict implementation of General conditions and Technical Conditions by the Developer as stipulated in G.O.Ms.No.165 I & CAD dated: 11-07-2007.

7. The tariff shall be fixed by the State Regulatory commission i.e. A.P.E.R.C as per the existing guide lines.

8. The Provision of the Electricity Act 2003 shall be followed strictly with regard to sale of power.

9. All the General and Technical conditions specified in G.O.Ms.No. 165 Irrigation & CAD (PW) Dept dated: 11-07-2007 are to be incorporated in the Agreement.

10. The Chief Engineer, Projects, Irrigation, Kurnool shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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